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FM AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2172

C O N F I D E N T I A L BUENOS AIRES 5275

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EFIN, AR

SUBJECT: ARENTINA'S EXTERNAL DEBT

REF: A) BUENOS AIRES 4783

B) STATE 178876

C) STATE 165816

D) BUENOS AIRES 34 (AIRGRAM 2/24/75)

1. EMBASSY RECOGNIZES WASHINGTON NEED FOR "HARD DATA" AND ANALYSIS OF BALANCE OF PAYMENTS AND EXTERNAL DEBT SITUATION. WE PLAN SUBMIT AIRGRAM THESE ISSUES BY AUGUST 15 AS REQUESTED REFTEL C.

2. WHILE SEEKING BE RESPONSIVE, WE WANT TO UNDERSCORE THERE IS ALSO DEARTH OF INFORMATION ON EXTERNAL SECTOR IN BUENOS AIRES. FACT IS THAT PERONIST GOVERNMENT PROVIDES ALMOST NO CURRENT OFFICIAL DATA ON BALANCE OF PAYMENTS OR EXTERNAL DEBT. IN CURRENT EXTERNAL CRISIS, GOA TENDS TO BE EVEN MORE SECRETIVE WITH THIS INFORMATION.

3. WHILE WE SEEK DATA THROUGH OUR BEST PRIVATE AND PUBLIC SECTOR CONTACTS, SUGGEST WASHINGTON MAY WISH PURSUE APPROPRIATE CONTACTS WITH BANK/FUND REPS TO DETERMINE IF THEY HAVE ANY CURRENT DATA WHICH THEY WILLING MAKE AVAILABLE.

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